ASSOCIATE CONSTRUCTION ANALYST

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OPEN

AN EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER - Equal opportunity to all regardless of race, color, creed, national origin, ancestry, sex, marital status, disability, religious or political affiliation, age or sexual orientation.

EXAMINATION BASE DEPARTMENTAL OPEN FOR:

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS AND REHABILITATION (excluding Prison Industry Authority)

WHO SHOULD APPLY

Applicants who meet the minimum qualifications as stated below. Applications will not be accepted on a promotional basis.

HOW TO APPLY

Submit Examination Application (Std. Form 678)

By mail with:

Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation Selection Services Section P.O. Box 942883 Sacramento, CA 94283-0001

(916) 322-2545

In person with:
Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation
Selection Services Section
1515 "S" Street, Room 522-N
Sacramento, CA 95814
(916) 322-2545

If you are personally delivering your application, you must do so between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, on or before the final filing date to the same street address as listed above for the Selection Services Section.

NOTE: Only applications with an original signature will be accepted.

APPLICATION DEADLINE/ REQUIREMENTS

<u>May 4, 2006</u> is the final filing date. Applications postmarked, personally delivered, or received via interoffice mail after this date will not be accepted for any reason.

All applicants must meet the education and/or experience requirements for this examination by the final filing date.

TEST DATE

It is anticipated that Qualifications Appraisal Interviews will be held during July 2006.

SALARY RANGE(S)

As of: March 15, 2006.

Range A: \$4,876 - \$5,924 Range B: \$5,437 - \$6,606

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

Experience: Three years of varied experience in the architectural planning, design, construction or estimating of major buildings, at least two years of which shall have been in the independent performance of work of average difficulty in any of the above fields. (Experience in the California state service to be applied toward this specialized requirement must have been in a class at a level of responsibility at least equivalent to an Assistant Estimator of Building Construction or an Architectural Assistant.)

<u>and</u>

Education: Equivalent to graduation from college preferably with major work in architecture, engineering or business administration. (Additional qualifying experience may be substituted for the required education on a year-for-year basis.)

Qualifying experience may be combined on a proportionate basis if the requirements stated above include more than one pattern and are distinguished as "Either" I, "or" II, "or" III, etc. For example, candidates who possess qualifying experience amounting to 50% of the required time of Pattern I, and additional experience amounting to 50% of the required time of Pattern II, may be admitted to an examination as meeting 100% of the overall experience requirement.

EXAMINATION PLAN

This examination will consist of a Qualifications Appraisal Interview only. The interview will include a number of predetermined job-related questions. In order to obtain a position on the eligible list, a minimum rating of 70.00% must be attained in the interview. **CANDIDATES WHO DO NOT APPEAR FOR THE INTERVIEW WILL BE DISQUALIFIED.**

Qualifications Appraisal -- Weighted 100.00%

Scope:

Emphasis in the examination will be on measuring competitively, relative to job demands, each candidate's:

Knowledge of:

- 1. Principles of planning and designing major public buildings and groups of buildings and architectural and building costs and materials
- Building codes
- State capital outlay procedures and budgeting
- 4. Purposes, functions and construction programs of State agencies
- 5. Structural and mechanical engineering as related to buildings

EXAMINATION PLAN (CONTINUED)

Ability to:

- 1. Analyze construction programs and make appropriate recommendations;
- Gather data, prepare reports and draw sound conclusions in the development of construction standards

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- 3. Establish and maintain cooperative relationships with those contacted in the work
- 4. Communicate effectively

ELIGIBLE LIST INFORMATION

The list(s) will be abolished **24** months after establishment unless the needs of the service and conditions of the list(s) warrant a change in this period.

POSITION DESCRIPTION AND LOCATION(S)

The **Associate Construction Analyst** will perform responsible and complex construction analysis work in administering the State capital outlay program and to do other related work.

Positions exist throughout the state in various institutions within the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation.

SPECIAL TESTING ARRANGEMENTS

If you have a disability and need special testing arrangements, mark the appropriate box on the "Examination Application." You will be contacted to make specific arrangements.

VETERANS POINTS/ CAREER CREDITS

Veteran's Preference Points will not be granted in this examination since it does not qualify as an entrance examination under the law. Career credits will not be granted in this examination.

GENERAL INFORMATION

It is the candidate's responsibility to contact the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitations' Selection Services Section at (916) 322-2545 three weeks after the final filing date if he/she has not received a progress notice.

Applications are available at Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation offices, State Personnel Board offices and local offices of the Employment Development Department.

Veterans Preference: California law allows the granting of Veterans Preference Points in Open Entrance and Open, Nonpromotional Entrance examinations. Veterans Preference Points will be added to the final score of all competitors who are successful in these types of examinations and qualify for and have requested these points. Credit in **Open Entrance** examinations is granted as follows: 10 points for veterans, widows and widowers of veterans and spouses of 100% disabled veterans; and 15 points for disabled veterans. Credit in **Open, Nonpromotional** Entrance examinations is granted as follows: 5 points for veterans; and 10 points for disabled veterans. Directions to apply for Veteran's Preference Points are on the Veterans Preference Applications (Std. Form 1093) which is available from the State Personnel Board, P.O. Box 944201, Sacramento, CA 94244-2010 and the Department of Veterans Affairs, P.O. Box 942895, Sacramento, CA 94295-0001.

The Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation reserves the right to revise the examination plan to better meet the needs of the service if the circumstances under which this examination was planned change. Such revisions will be in accordance with civil service laws and rules and all competitors will be notified.

Examination Locations: If this examination requires a written test and/or oral interview, they will be scheduled throughout the State at the correctional institutions and/or parole regions. However, locations of the written test and/or oral interview may be limited or extended as conditions warrant.

Eligible Lists: Eligible lists established by a competitive examination, regardless of date, must be used in the following order: 1) subdivisional promotional; 2) departmental promotional; 3) multidepartmental promotional; 4) servicewide promotional; 5) departmental open; 6) open. When there are two lists of the same kind, the older must be used first.

General Qualifications: Competitors must possess essential personal qualifications including integrity, initiative, dependability, good judgment, ability to work cooperatively with others, and a state of health consistent with the ability to perform the assigned duties of the class. A medical examination and fingerprinting may be required. In open examinations, an investigation may be made of employment records and personal history.

IT IS AN OBJECTIVE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO ACHIEVE A DRUG-FREE WORK PLACE. ANY APPLICANT FOR STATE EMPLOYMENT WILL BE EXPECTED TO BEHAVE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS OBJECTIVE BECAUSE THE USE OF ILLEGAL DRUGS IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE LAW OF THE STATE, THE RULES GOVERNING CIVIL SERVICE AND THE SPECIAL TRUST PLACED IN PUBLIC SERVANTS.

ONLY INDIVIDUALS LAWFULLY AUTHORIZED TO WORK IN THE UNITED STATES WILL BE HIRED

FOR CURRENT CDCR TESTING INFORMATION CALL (916) 322-2545

California Relay Service for the Deaf or Hearing Impaired: 1-800-735-2929 www.cdcr.ca.gov

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